

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Page 1, line 1: change the title to read as follows:
ASSEMBLY FOR SEALING AND CENTERING IN A
TWO-CYLINDER DASHPOT ~~OR TWO-CYLINDER~~
~~TELESCOPING LEG~~

Page 1, lines 3-5: change to read as follows:
The present invention concerns an
assembly for sealing and centering a
piston rod in a two-cylinder dashpot ~~or~~
~~two-cylinder telescoping leg.~~

Page 5, line 13 to Page 6, line 3: change the insert to
read as follows:
A venting system is illustrated in
larger scale in Figure 2. The outer
circumference of the base of the
flowerpot-shaped accommodation is
provided with a continuous groove 15
that can accommodate a special seal 16.
The main cross-section of seal 16 is
round, and the seal is provided with a
lip 17 that extends radially outward at
the bottom. Unstressed, lip 17 rests
against a conical surface 18 of groove
15. Seal 16 is inserted with its main
cross-section in the groove between
piston-rod centering ring 6 and piston-
rod sealing ring 7. Various channels
that will be specified in greater
detail hereinafter act as venting
components that create a one-way
communication between the section
between sliding bushing 11 and seal 13
on the one hand and a gas accommodating
space 19 on the other. Gas-

accommodating space 19 is at the top of the gap between inner cylinder 2 and outer cylinder 1. Below it, and in pressure-application chamber 4 as well, is shock-absorbing fluid. ~~Sealing lip 17 is integrated into~~ A sealed lip comprising an elastically tensioned ring with a more or less circular wall cross-section and the sealing lip 17.